UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LEADENHALL CAPITAL PARTNERS LLP, et al, Plaintiffs,

-against-

WANDER et al.

Defendants.

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24-CV-3453 (JGK) (BCM)

ORDER REGARDING GENERAL PRETRIAL MANAGEMENT

## BARBARA MOSES, United States Magistrate Judge.

The above-referenced action has been referred to Magistrate Judge Barbara Moses for general pretrial management, including scheduling, discovery, non-dispositive pretrial motions, and settlement, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A). (Dkt. 297.) All pretrial motions and applications, including those related to scheduling and discovery (but excluding motions to dismiss or for judgment on the pleadings, for injunctive relief, for summary judgment, or for class certification under Fed. R. Civ. P. 23) must be made to Judge Moses and in compliance with this Court's Individual Practices in Civil Cases, available on the Court's website at <a href="https://nysd.uscourts.gov/hon-barbara-moses">https://nysd.uscourts.gov/hon-barbara-moses</a>.

## **Discovery**

On August 20, 2024, the Court set a fact discovery deadline of **nine months** from the date the Court resolves defendants' pending motions to dismiss, to the extent any claims remain. (Dkt. 175 at 7-8.) On November 26, 2024, the Court ordered that "document production proceed against all parties" except for defendants Josh Wander and Steven Pasko, but that deposition discovery remain stayed pending a decision on the motions to dismiss. (Dkt. 252 at 5.) **Within two weeks** of the Court's resolution of the pending motions to dismiss, the parties must contact the chambers of the undersigned Magistrate Judge to schedule a case management conference.

## **General Pre-Trial Management**

The parties are reminded that:

1. Discovery applications, including letter-motions requesting discovery conferences,

must be made promptly after the need for such an application arises and must comply with Local

Civil Rule 37.2 and § 2(b) of Judge Moses's Individual Practices. It is this Court's practice to decide

discovery disputes at the Rule 37.2 conference, based on the parties' letters, unless the Court

determines that more formal briefing is required. Absent extraordinary circumstances, discovery

applications made later than 30 days prior to the close of discovery will be denied as untimely.

2. For motions other than discovery motions, pre-motion conferences are not required,

but may be requested where counsel believe that an informal conference with the Court may

obviate the need for a motion or narrow the issues.

3. Requests to adjourn a court conference or other court proceeding (including a

telephonic court conference), or to extend a deadline, must be made in writing and in compliance

with § 2(a) of Judge Moses's Individual Practices. Telephone requests for adjournments or

extensions will not be entertained.

4. In accordance with § 1(d) of Judge Moses's Individual Practices, letters and letter-

motions are limited to four pages, exclusive of attachments. Courtesy copies of letters and letter-

motions filed via ECF are required only if the filing contains voluminous attachments. Courtesy

copies should be delivered promptly, should bear the ECF header generated at the time of

electronic filing, and should include tabs for the attachments.

Dated: New York, New York May 21, 2025

SO ORDERED.

**BARBARA MOSES** 

**United States Magistrate Judge**